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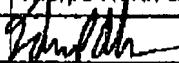
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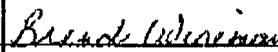
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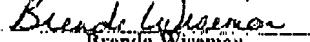
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**AMENDMENT/RESPONSE**

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Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

The present amendments and remarks are in response to the July 26, 2007 Office Action where the Examiner allowed claims 1, 2, 4-9 and 45-80, objected to claims 11 and 12, and rejected claims 10 and 13-16. A petition for a one-month extension of time and the appropriate fees is enclosed herewith. Please reconsider the present application with the accompanying responsive remarks.

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